

MICHIGAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON REGULATORY REFORM

Wednesday, March 15, 2017

10:30 a.m.

Room 519 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Regulatory Reform was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Iden, Bellino, Crawford, Leutheuser, Theis, Webber, Griffin, Hauck,

Hoitenga, Reilly, Moss, Dianda, Chirkun, Jones

Absent/Excused: Reps. Liberati, Love

Representative Crawford moved to adopt the minutes of March 8, 2017. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid HB 4326 before the committee:

HB 4326 (Cole)

Environmental protection; permits; wastewater discharge permit

fees; exempt licensed campgrounds.

Representative Cole testified in support of the bill. Dave Cordray, representing the Association of Recreational Vehicles and Campgrounds, joined Representative Cole in testifying in support of the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Maggie Pallone, Deputy Director, and Rick Rusz, Chief for the groundwater permits unit, testified on behalf of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality in opposition to the bill. Questions and discussion followed.

The following people submitted cards in opposition to the bill but did not wish to speak: Kara Cook, Michigan League of Conservation Voters.

Sean Hammond, Michigan Environmental Council.

Representative Dianda moved to excuse Representative Liberati and Representative Love. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 11:33 a.m.

Representative Brandt Iden, Chair	
Ian Mays, Committee Clerk	
House Regulatory Reform Committee	